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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Lawrence R. GREEN et al.

Application No.: 09/506,430

Filing Date: February 17, 2000

Title: Pharmaceutical Dipeptide Compositions and Methods of Use Thereof

MAIL STOP: PETITION

Group Art Unit: 1653

Examiner: David Lukton

Confirmation No.: 6441

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☒ A Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the ☒ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.

☒ Also enclosed is/are Petition for Revival of an Application Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) and the \$665.00 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m)

☒ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 (2801) ☐ \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

☐ Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.

☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted _____
on _____
for which continued examination is requested.

☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least _____, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☒ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	43	MINUS 21 =	22	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 396.00
Independent Claims	2	MINUS 3 =	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$290.00 (1203)					
Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 396.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 198.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 198.00

- ☐ A total fee in the amount of _____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$ 918.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20 (d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

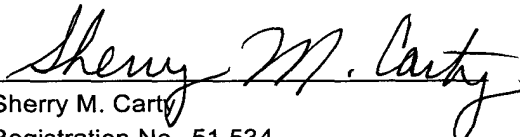
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In complete response to the Office Action mailed December 10, 2002, please
first amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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